

## Hampton Police Division Media Release

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## **For Immediate Release**

**January 6, 2016** 

## Robbery from Business Investigation: 1st Block of South Armistead Avenue

The Hampton Police Division is seeking the public's assistance in identifying the suspect in connection with a business robbery that occurred on January 5, 2016.

At 7:28 p.m., Hampton Police responded to the Rite Aid Pharmacy located in the 1st block of South Armistead Avenue in reference to a robbery from business complaint. The investigation revealed that the suspect entered the business, implied he had a weapon, and demanded money. After receiving an undisclosed amount of US currency, the suspect fled the scene on foot towards Settler's Landing Road.

The suspect is described as a black male, light-skin tone, approximately 45-50 years-old, 5'5-5'7, last seen wearing a black beanie hat, a long black jacket, blue jeans and black shoes.



Photograph taken from Surveillance Footage

Anyone with information that will assist police is encouraged to contact the Hampton Police Division at **727-6111** or the Crime Line at **1-888-LOCK-U-UP**. Tipsters can also send an anonymous tip via text message to the Crime Line by texting "HAMPTONPDTIPS plus your tip" to **274637 (CRIMES)**. Crime Line callers remain anonymous and never appear in court. If a Crime Line call results in an arrest, the caller is eligible for a reward up to \$1,000.00.

SPO Ashley Jenrette will receive questions about this release at 727-6608.

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